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FORMALITIES LETTER

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

• Additional claim fees of \$72 as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$972 for a Large Entity

- \$770 Statutory basic filing fee.
- \$130 Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$72
 - \$72 for 4 total claims over 20.

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			Filing Date	March 15	March 15, 2004		
			First Named Inventor	Yoshihiro	Kobayashi		
(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)			Art Unit	2858			
			Examiner Name .	To be ass	signed		
Total Number of Pages	s in This Submission		Attorney Docket Number	9319S-00	0705		
ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)							
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Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT

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METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)	FEE CALCULATION (continued)					
☑ Check ☐ Credit card ☐ Money ☐ Other ☐ None	3. ADDITIONAL FEES					
Order	Large Entity Small Entity					
☐ Deposit Account:	Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee		
Deposit	Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	Fee Description Fee Paid	
Account 08-0750	1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath 130	
Number	1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet.	
Deposit	1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
Account Hamess, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.	1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
The Director is authorized to: (check all that apply)	1804	920°	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
☐ Charge fee(s) indicated below ☐ Credit any overpayments ☐ Charge any additional fee(s) during the pendency of this application	1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
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FEE CALCULATION	1252	420	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1. BASIC FILING FEE	1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
Large Entity Small Entity	1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
Fee Fee Fee Fee <u>Fee Description</u> Code (\$) Fee Paid	1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1001 770 2001 385 Utility filing fee 770	1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	
1002 340 2002 170 Design filing fee	1402	330	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1003 530 2003 265 Plant filing fee	1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1004 770 2004 385 Reissue filing fee		1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1005 160 2005 80 Provisional filling fee		110	2452	55	Petition to revive – unavoidable	
SUBTOTAL: (1) (\$) 770	1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
	1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE	1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
Extra Fee from Fee Claims below Paid	1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
Total Claims 24 -20 ** = 4 X 18 = 72	1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
Independent	1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
Claims 1 -3 ** = 0 X 86 = 0	1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure . Stmt	
Multiple Dependent Large Entity Small Entity	8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
Fee Fee Fee Fee Fee Description	1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection	
Code (\$) Code (\$)	1810	770	2810	385	(37 CFR § 1.129(a)) For each additional invention to be	
1201 86 2201 43 Independent claims in excess of 3	1810	,,,	2010	363	examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1203 290 2203 145 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1204 86 2204 43 ** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination	
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